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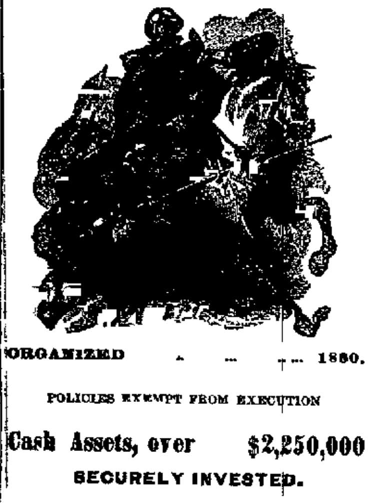

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[illegible] AT THE DEDICATION OF THE [illegible] HALL AT PORTLAND, OREGON, MARCH [illegible]

Most Worthy Grand Master [illegible] *Ladies and Gentlemen*: In accordance with the usages of the Order and the immemorial custom of mankind we have assembled to dedicate this Hall to the objects of its erection. The enterprise consummated by these ceremonies was inaugurated Sept 29th 1868 by the incorporation of the Odd Fellows Hall Association with a capital stock of $50,000. Brothers Wm Deardorff, P. St John, I. Goodman, Wm Braden, C. A. Burchardt, N. Goldsmith, C. Hills, Wm Morton and J. H. Lyon being incorporators. On the 4th day of January, 1869 the capital stock having been subscribed the corporation was organized by the election of a Board of Directors consisting of Wm Deardorff, J. C. Carson, J. Stitsel, J. H. Lyon, M. W. Fechheimer, Wm Morton, and L. M. Starr. Wm Deardorff, P. G., was elected President; J. C. Carson, P. G., Vice President, and J. Stitsel, P. G., Secretary.

After much difficulty the present site of this Hall was secured at a cost of $23,000 and from that time the work has been pushed with commendable energy on the part of the officers of the Association. Especially are the President and Secretary deserving of the thanks of the stockholders of the Association and the Brethren of the Order for the faithful manner in which they have performed the duties of their offices and that without compensation other than the satisfaction of well doing. Brethren of the Association permit me on behalf of the Order in receiving from your hands the result of your labors to say that this Temple so substantially and beautifully reared and this Hall so commodious and convenient, so elegant and tasteful in its appointments and furniture speaks well for the energy that originated and matured the plan for its erection as well as of the prosperity of the Order and the liberality of the Brethren who supplied the means for its construction. Your work is a credit to the Order and an ornament to the city. May it stand long as a monument of your enterprise and as a waymark in our history. And may this Hall which with imposing ceremony we dedicate to day be sacred forever for the purposes to which it is appropriated. May the great lessons of our Order be here taught by precept and example and harmony, and brotherly love, forever prevail in our councils. May this Hall prove the unseen fountain from which shall silently flow forth the spirit of kindly feeling and universal benevolence taught by the precepts of our Order—unnumbered charities, friendship for the friendless, sympathy and love for the distressed and afflicted and truth for all.

As the traveler, ascending some mountain height, pauses, to take a retrospect of the ascent to enjoy the prospect, which in the toil and fatigue of his upward march has passed unheeded, and turns and scans with curious eye the still untrodden heights that stretch beyond, so let us from this resting place in the progress of our Order, glance back upon its history, rejoice in the victories it has won and then survey the hopes that line the glowing sky of its expanding destiny.

Fifty years ago, the 26th day of April last, the first Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was instituted in the United States. We may well refer to the institution of this first Lodge of the Order in the United States as the origin of Odd Fellowship as now constituted in America, for, although the Order of "Odd Fellows" had for no well defined period existed across the Atlantic, it was without many of the distinctive features of the "Independent Order of Odd Fellows" and as indicated by the name the Order as instituted in the United States, was designed to be independent of any prior organization. Time will not permit us to trace step by step the growth of the Order, during the half century of its existence, nor the changes which have been made in its character and objects. It must suffice to say that to-day there are in the United States three thousand five hundred Lodges with a membership of two hundred and seventy five thousand and assets of more than twenty millions of dollars, while the Order disburses annually for the relief of its members, their widows and orphans more than a million of dollars. In alluding to the early history of the Order in Oregon, I cannot do better than to quote from the Annual Report of Grand Master E. M. Barnum to the R. W. Grand Lodge of Oregon at its second Annual Communication, held at the city of Portland July 6, 1857. He says: "The earliest organized effort towards establishing a subordinate Lodge in Oregon was made in the early part of the year 1851. Application was made by the Odd Fellows of Portland to Alex P. Frazer, who had by authority of the Grand Lodge of the United States, been deputed a special Deputy Grand Sire with blank warrants, to organize Lodges in California and other parts of the Pacific coast. A warrant, with the necessary books for opening the Lodge at Portland, were reported to have been been forwarded to this Territory. What became of them has been a mystery yet unsolved, as no satisfactory account of the same has been found beyond their arrival in the Columbia.

"In January, 1852, the second effort was made at Salem, by an application direct to the Grand Lodge of the United States, which resulted in complete success to the petitioners. * * * And on the 8th day of December 1852 I had the pleasure and honor of instituting Chemeketa No. 1, the Pioneer Lodge in Oregon. Odd Fellowship had thus upon this occidental shore received 'a local habitation and a name' and Chemeketa No. 1 was soon succeeded by others.

"On the 8th of April 1853, Samaritan Lodge No. 2 was instituted at Portland. * * * On the 31st of December, 1853 Oregon Lodge No. 3 was instituted at Oregon City and on the 28th day of July 1854 Albany Lodge No. 4 was instituted at Albany."

These comprise all the subordinate Lodges in this jurisdiction at the date of the institution of the Grand Lodge, May 23d 1856. In a little more than thirteen years the Lodges of this jurisdiction have increased to thirty seven with a membership of one thousand seven hundred. The pioneer Lodge of this city has become the mother of Lodges and there are now in this city, including Orient Lodge No. 17, of East Portland, four Lodges and one Encampment with an aggregate membership of about three hundred and property of more than twenty thousand dollars in value. What a spectacle of the power of unity, of the grandeur of voluntary association, of the triumph of the doctrine of the brotherhood of the race, does this unexampled growth of our Order present. This grand result has not been attained without corresponding effort. The early years of the Order not only in the United States but in this State and in this city were years of toil and devotion to the principles of the Order upon the part of its pioneers. We that are now accustomed to the lively interest manifested in all that relates to Odd Fellowship know but little of the difficulties and adverse circumstances that attended the early history of Samaritan Lodge. The Order was new upon this coast, the Lodge had few members and was without funds while many of the expenses now borne [illegible] by the several Lodges of the city were then borne by the one Lodge. There were [illegible] period of our history [illegible] that on many nights of regular meeting no quorum was present. The Lodge only maintained its existence by the unceasing efforts of a few members who had seen Odd Fellowship and knew its worth. These brethren have lived to see the Order make itself known and respected. They have seen it gather within its circle many of the best citizens of the community.

They have seen it rise from poverty to its present substantial financial basis, able [illegible] to inaugurate and carry to a successful [illegible] the enterprise of constructing this costly edifice. They have seen their [illegible] members until from [illegible] have [illegible] three new Lodges that already rival their elder sister. This day must be a day of rejoicing to these pioneer brethren in this city scarcely to be appreciated by us who were received into the Order in the days of its prosperity.

But while a retrospect of the past affords much for congratulation it also brings up recollections of sorrow. Some whose names were once written upon our rolls have been enrolled by the Recording Angel in the Grand Lodge above. Our bolted doors [illegible] the king of terrors. [illegible] has been among us. The brethren of Samaritan Lodge have been called [illegible] their last resting place with the [illegible] the mortal remains of Bros. R. [illegible] H. C. [illegible] and F. Miller. [illegible] has also fallen upon our sister Hassalo Lodge in the death of Br. [illegible] one of the Charter members of that Lodge. It will be peculiarly appropriate on this occasion [illegible] pass lightly over the memory of those who have fallen to pay a passing tribute to the memory of our departed brother P. G. [illegible]. A brother universally beloved, a pioneer of this Lodge, a pillar of the cause has fallen. His energies which gave such efficient support to the cause he loved are palsied. The heart that beat so truly in unison with the principles of our order is stilled. We shall never again hear his voice raised as it was always sure to be when a passing breath of thoughtlessness had rippled the usual harmony of our Lodge to pour the oil of his own even temper and moderation upon the troubled waters. We who knew him best can bear testimony of his worth as a man, a brother and a friend. His faithful services, his genial disposition, his forbearance and charity toward all, will cause his memory to live green in the hearts of his brethren and his name to descend inseparably associated with the early history of his Lodge. Let us be admonished by his sudden death, that the way our departed brother has gone is the way of all the living and so live that when the summons comes to us to join him in the spirit world whether it come suddenly like the lightning's flash or by the tardy messenger—slow disease—

> We go not like the quarry slave at night,
> Scourged to his dungeon, but sustained and soothed
> By an unfaltering trust approach the grave
> Like one who draws the drapery of his couch
> About him and lies down to pleasant dreams.

There was a time in the history of our Order when on occasions like this it was deemed necessary to defend it against objections real or imaginary, but as we have seen Odd Fellowship has long since ceased to be an experiment. The tree planted by those five brethren at Baltimore in 1819, has become a mighty forest covering a continent and already dropping its living scions in foreign soil while under its shade hundreds of thousands rejoice in doing deeds of love and mercy, and I feel that to day the Order needs no defense at my hands and I shall rather devote this occasion mainly, to a hasty glance at some of the leading features of Odd Fellowship.

We do not claim for Odd Fellowship that it is of very ancient origin, but we rather claim that its origin is so recent that its work and teachings are adapted to the wants of man and the age of civilization, and progress, in which we live; that unlike institutions that date their origin far back in antiquity it is unencumbered by unmeaning rites and ceremonies, with names and symbols that have long since lost their significance. We claim that it is an association growing out of man's necessities, as a social, dependent, intelligent and philanthropic being, devised in wisdom, founded on truths universally admitted among men, and fully in accord with the civil and religious institutions of the age and country in which we live.

A leading feature of Odd Fellowship is its system of mutual relief. Every member of the Order may be said to hold a policy of insurance against sickness, accident and death. In the days of health and prosperity he pays a stipulated sum into the treasury of his Lodge, and he knows that in the hour of sickness and want, he is entitled to and will receive the means of subsistence and comfort, and in case of his death his widow and orphans will be cared for and cherished as the proteges of the Order. Such a thing as a pauper is not known in our Order. Out of the two hundred and seventy five thousand Odd Fellows in the United States, not one is now, or will become a public charge. The Order teaches, and enforces by *discipline*, the duties of industry, frugality and temperance, as well as of charity. It strictly prohibits all those vices by which men waste their substance and reduce themselves to poverty, and ruin their health and incapacitate themselves to earn a livelihood, and when a brother meets with adversities and misfortunes common to the lot of all and poverty and want overtake him, it steps in with its system of mutual relief and renders him substantial assistance—not as a charity, but as the discharge of an obligation. It supplies his wants, it watches by his bedside in sickness and in case of death consigns his body to the grave, without charge upon the public, whether he be a stranger in a strange land or dies in the bosom of his family. And while the Order thus takes care of its own poor, its members contribute equally with others for the support of the poor outside of the Order.

In addition to its system of mutual relief Odd Fellowship is valuable and especially so upon this coast for its social features. Man was created for society—for friendship and love. The desire for society implanted in his breast by the creator, will prompt him to seek association with his fellow men. The society of the good is not easy of access, while the haunts of vice are always open and every allurement is used to entice men from the path of virtue and rectitude. To the want of suitable places of amusement and social intercourse more than to any other cause, is attributable some of the most crying evils of the age. This is the reason why so many young men who under the parental roof, and surrounded by the influences of home and the associations of older communities, in the States have borne irreproachable characters, upon this coast appear to lapse so readily into a life of sin and open immorality. They yearn for the associations of other years and loneliness drives them to the only society that seems accessible to them or to recognize them as social beings. Our Order to no inconsiderable extent supplies this want. It receives the stranger as a brother and so far as may be supplies the place of absent friends. It gives him friendship and sympathy, it interests itself for his welfare, it watches over his daily conduct, it throws around him influences for good. It makes an unceasing warfare upon every evil tendency and warms into new life every good impulse of his nature.

But Odd Fellowship in its objects and benefits is not confined to its members. It has broader claims to the consideration of mankind. It is a benevolent institution distilling its charities like the dews of heaven wherever suffering humanity is found. It is true that it pays its special [illegible] to its members, the brethren of the Order, but it is not true that its charities are confined to members of the Order or even to their widows and orphans. The charity of a true Odd Fellow once imbued with the spirit of Odd Fellowship cannot be circumscribed by metes and bounds. It is as boundless as the earth and universal as the sunlight. Friendship, Love and Truth are eternal, universal. He that drinks at their fountains will not, cannot be illiberal. He will learn to regard all men as brethren. Charity will become an impulse of his soul, a rule of his life, a part of his being and he will look abroad over the great field of humanity for the objects of his charity. Nor does the charities of our Order consist solely in alms giving, of clothing the naked, feeding the hungry or even [illegible] the physical and mental ailments of man. But like the Apostle if it has neither silver nor gold it gives such as it has. It defends the weak, it speaks well of the absent, it gives brotherly love and sympathy. It embraces [illegible] comprehensive [illegible] everything [illegible] to soften the asperities of life, to promote the harmony of the whole family of man, to ameliorate human suffering, to enlighten the understanding, and cultivate the better part of man's nature, in a word to elevate man in the scale of physical, mental and moral being to the perfection of the original design of the Great Author of his existence. [illegible]

[illegible] benevolence as well as in our system of [illegible] and kindly offices to each other [illegible] sympathy and hearty co-operation [illegible] the brethren of the Order. As Daughters of Rebekah we identify them with us [illegible] a life of devotion to our principles and [illegible] and direction to the benevolent impulses of their natures, we thus recognize the peculiar fitness of woman as a minister of mercy to suffering humanity. In all ages of the world this has been her sphere in which she has gained her most unfading laurels. The history of woman affords the most brilliant examples of faithful friendship [illegible] patient suffering, self sacrificing devotion [illegible] and heroic constancy to truth and [illegible]. My sisters [illegible] Wherever you hear the sigh of sorrow, the moan of [illegible] the appeal of the destitute or [illegible]

Your [illegible] higher field [illegible] There [illegible] to mingle [illegible] its honors and rewards seek to mar the beauty of your character and to enervate your [illegible]. The fame of a true woman is gained not [illegible] the rugged path of war [illegible] the arts of commerce [illegible] the pursuits of science or of art. Her glory is to be faithful and true to her nature in all the relations of life, the loving sister, dutiful daughter, faithful wife and mother, the unselfish friend and the good Samaritan pouring the oil of sympathy and consolation into the wounds of every afflicted son and daughter of the race lying by the wayside of the journey of life. Such a woman need not envy the fame of those who for a season bask in the sunshine of popular favor or power. Though her labors of love and ministrations of mercy be unseen of men, though no earthly diadem may crown her brow, the Father who seeth in secret shall reward her openly with a crown of glory that fadeth not away. Even in this world she will not be without her reward. "Her children will rise up and call her blessed," and perpetuate her memory by noble deeds. She will have the prayers and the blessings of the poor and the afflicted and enjoy continually the approval of her conscience and her God.

The mother of Washington needs no marble monument or storied urn to perpetuate her name. Her fame is that of a true woman. Her glory is to have been the mother of such a son. And when the names of those of her sex who have been born to regal splendor and power are forgotten, the name of Mary Washington linked to that of her illustrious son, will shine upon the pages of history and gather new lustre as revolving ages develop our greatness.

I have said that Odd Fellowship is fully in accord with the civil and religious institutions of the age in which we live, but let no one infer that it is in any sense a political institution. As it inculcates every moral duty it teaches the duty of patriotism. It counsels subordination and obedience to the laws under which we live. It screens no Brother for their violation, but on the contrary expels members from its bosom for offences not made subjects of penal legislation by civil governments. But while this is so, no man's political opinions are questioned either at the threshold of our Order or at any stage of his progress through it.

We allow to *each* what we all likewise claim—full and free toleration in matters of opinion. None of those questions which array man against his fellow man which create bitterness and dissensions between brethren are permitted within our councils. The weapons of strife must be laid aside at the outer door, and the partisan, as well as the sectarian must put on the robe of charity and forbearance before he can enter the walls of a Lodge room, and thenceforth the 'gentle influences of love' must supply the weapons of his warfare. In a word, Odd Fellowship recognizes the rights of all and conflicts with the rights of none, and that member is false to its principles who does not accord to every man, of whatever nationality or creed, the same freedom of opinion and the same civil rights which he claims for himself.

Neither is Odd Fellowship a religious institution. It claims no higher origin than man. It does indeed claim to be founded upon eternal principles. It recognizes the existence of a Supreme Almighty Ruler of the Universe and inculcates a veneration for religion. It enforces by precept and example man's duty to himself, his Creator and his fellow man and strictly prohibits every immoral practice. No atheist can ever cross the threshold of our Order. No scoffer at divine revelation could find a home or kindred spirits in our Lodges. The Holy Bible is the source of our most instructive and beautiful lessons and a necessary and most important jewel of our Order. But it is impossible from the very object of our Association, that we should hold affinity with systems of faith or sects. *Universal Brotherhood* is our motto. The Jew and the Gentile, men of every sect and every shade of opinion may stand upon our comprehensive platform and unite their energies in the great work of our Order, but we justly claim for Odd Fellowship that so far from being an enemy of the Church its precepts and the practice of the duties it enjoins are calculated to prepare man to receive and practice the sublime precepts of the Holy Bible, are calculated to lead men upward from love of the creation to love of the Creator of all. But unobjectionable as the position of our Order is upon this question there are good men and conscientious men no doubt, but *prejudiced men*, who are the avowed enemies of our Order and the voice of opposition and denunciation against us has been raised even from the sacred desk. We have been denounced for the offence of secrecy. Not so much because in doing deeds of mercy we have followed the scriptural injunction of secrecy as because our meetings are guarded from the curiosity and presence of those who would mar their harmony and defeat their object. We have been denounced because the religious and irreligious meet and commingle together as brethren. The objection to our secrecy is too frivolous to require notice. Nature is full of mystery. The history of science is but the history of a continued struggle to penetrate the mysteries of earth and air and sea, to pierce beyond the ken of human vision, beyond the portals of the skies and scan the unseen workings of His hand who works in secret and in silence too and rules the universe of matter and of mind by the hidden counsels of his own will. But science scales not the eternal walls of light and genius flashes back from the unpierced veil of Deity. We know to feel that all his works are moved in harmony by unerring law, but *how* and *why* [illegible] are secrets as profound as when the stars sang together on creation's morning. The world all around us has its secrets, every family, every association of men and every human heart. If there were more of them in all the relations of life the world would be better off, for people would mind their own business more and the business of others less.

The objection made to the association of the church and the world in our lodges deserves more notice, not because it is more valid but because it may be and perhaps usually is the expression of conscientious scruples or convictions. The same objection was made against the Saviour of mankind when on earth that he sat with publicans and sinners, and was as valid then as now. A religion that will not tolerate contact with the unbelieving world, that keeps its possessor aloof from the children of a common Father, from afflicted and suffering humanity, does not commend itself to the better feelings of man's nature. Nor will it bear the test of the Great Day for which all other days were made. Our Order rests upon too solid a basis, upon truths too universally admitted to be disturbed by such opposition. While other orders have been broken up and destroyed by the rude shocks of religious and political discussion, overwhelmed and swept away by the waves of prejudice and the billows of opposition, our own being founded on the *Rock* [illegible] has withstood the assaults of ignorance and malice alike, and as the grand old oak that crowns the mountain top when shaken by the rude winds only strikes its roots deeper into the firm earth, so our Order has taken firmer hold upon every community where its principles have been assailed. But this opposition has shaken to its very foundation more than one church and congregation where it has been made. [illegible] several of these [illegible] zeal scarcely less than that of Saul when he journeyed toward Damascus breathing out threatenings and vengeance against the Saints [illegible] secret societies. And [illegible] newspaper [illegible] that was [illegible] the world has never been [illegible] The enterprise was [illegible] behind the age. It sprang from [illegible] the Dark Ages when [illegible] was a dominant [illegible] and when in her name the inquisition [illegible] the fagot and the stake [illegible] of intolerance and persecution [illegible] where the light of [illegible] religion never dawned. The act [illegible] are not imbued with the spirit of the age in which they live. The age of [illegible] is passing away and the age [illegible] to all men, yea more of *charity* [illegible] *love for all men* ——has dawned upon us. [illegible] the spirit of this age are a thousand [illegible] calculated to improve the physical, intellectual and moral condition of the race. A spirit of universal benevolence and good will is penetrating the darkest corners of the earth with the light of religion, of civil liberty and the blessings of civilization. It has furnished shelter for the houseless, hospitals for the sick, and food for the starving. It has sought out and provided homes and instruction for the deaf and blind. It has furnished asylums for the insane and idiotic. It has introduced a humanitarian spirit into the laws of war and followed in its fiery track to ameliorate its horrors by brotherly and sisterly care and the consolations of religion. It makes haste when calamities overtake any section of our country or the world, to contribute substantial aid to the suffering. In short man begins to realize the intimate relations that bind him to his fellow man. A nerve of humanity runs through this age and generation that vibrates in sympathy with the sorrows of the most obscure members of the race. Nor is this spirit confined to individuals or communities. It prompts the nations to act the part of the good Samaritan. When famine settled grim and terrible upon the Emerald Isle, it sent Columbia's white winged messengers of mercy with food for her starving poor. Let the cry of suffering and want come up from [illegible] heart responds with relief. Let the [illegible] struggling for liberty against oppression, appeal for help and the popular heart responds with sympathy and substantial aid is only prevented by the active interference and utmost vigilance of the Government.

The impulse of the present age is towards that day foretold by prophecy when the nations of the earth shall blend in one common brotherhood and worship at one common shrine, when "the sword shall be beat into the plowshare" and "the spear into the pruning hook" and "the nations shall learn war no more." And foremost among the humanitarian agencies calculated to bring about this grand consummation in the world's history, stands the Independent Order of Odd Fellows—a grand army of a million men—imbued with the benevolent spirit of the age, marching under the broad banner of Friendship, Love and Truth, to the command engraven upon the seal of our Grand Lodge and stamped upon every Order that emanates from its authority "We command you to visit the sick, to relieve the distressed, to bury the dead and educate the orphan."

What power shall stay its onward march until it shall have made the conquest of the world? The opposition of its enemies will but give occasion for new victories of truth over prejudice. When they are forgotten and the record of their works are lost forever from human history, the mighty fabric of Odd Fellowship "will still remain unharmed amid contending elements, and crumble into atoms only when the earth upon which it stands yields in the wreck of matter and the crush of worlds."

Let me not be misunderstood. I raise my voice only against what I conceive to be prejudice unworthy the true spirit of Christianity. I have no sympathy with that spirit that [illegible] opposes and ridicules the Church, that would exalt any society or system of morals above the Church or detract from her glory, or [illegible] her [illegible] in the great work of reforming the world. On the contrary, from the influence of early education, the force of habit and I humbly trust, from faith in and love of the truth, I honor the Church above all earthly things.

> For her my tears shall fall,
> For her my prayers ascend,
> For her my cares and toils be given,
> Till cares and toils shall end."

I have thus glanced at some of the features of our Order. Each topic which has been passed in hasty review, forms an ample theme for an occasion like the present. The tenets of our faith, and the objects of our association, form a broad field for study which we have [illegible]. The inquirer will find much to repay his investigation. He will find that while the leading principles of our Order are recognition of the existence of God and the mutual relief of its members, that in the beautiful language of an eloquent advocate of our principles, "Clustering around these two leading principles stands a shining throng of heaven born virtues like a group of pure and white robed angels in attendance waiting. Clear eyed Faith, whose penetrating vision looks beyond the veil, and who with smiling face upturns the dark cloud's edge to show its silver lining; radiant Hope, that with a bright and [illegible] bow of promise ever spans the dreary sky of trouble and points beyond the flower-decked fields and verdant pastures, threaded with rivers of delight; whole-souled Charity, 'that suffereth long and is kind,' and from whose open hand ever drops like the gentle rain from Heaven a well directed shower of blessings; majestic truth, clad in innocence of beauty unadorned; warm hearted Friendship, from whose soft presence breathes a charm [illegible]ble mildly beaming Toleration, that with wand as magic as the Orphean lyre, soothes to rest discordant passion, but chief and foremost in this glittering galaxy Love divine appears, rosy with triumph, who with golden sceptre sways both Heaven and earth, with a sweet [illegible]."

While we claim so much for Odd Fellowship, we aim at a liberality that does justice to all. We recognize and approbate good, whatever its source. No spirit of rivalry prevents us from honoring the golden coin of charity, wherever it is found. There are systems of benevolence that date their origin far back in the history of the race, when the doctrine of the brotherhood of man and the practice of charity were scarcely known outside of their organizations. "Their deeds stand like pillars of light along the royal road of time." They have left their impress upon [illegible] past and we hope they may survive to bless generations to come. The world of humanity is a field broad enough for them and us. The work of charity is a work great enough for the united efforts of all and we bid them 'God speed' upon their missions of mercy. In conclusion, let us, my brethren, labor to make our beloved Order all in practice that it is in theory. Ever remember that "God has made of one blood all the nations of men to dwell upon the face of the earth." Let the rule of your lives be "whatsoever ye would that men should do unto you do you even so unto them." Be not content with simply passing through the ceremonies of the Order, with becoming familiar with what is known as the Work of the Order, or even in the punctual fulfillment of the letter of the law of Odd Fellowship. But endeavor to comprehend the spirit of our teachings. Come up to the perfect stature of a true Odd Fellow and you will attain the perfect stature of man. You will walk humbly before God, you will be just, faithful and fraternal to your fellow men, you will be [illegible] to your country, you will be good citizens without reproach in all the relations of life; your characters will be adorned with all the virtues; your lives will be blessed with the consciousness of acting well your part in your age and generation; old age will be but the declining splendor of a summer day, and when the brethren in sad array convey your mortal remains to the silent city of the dead your names will survive for the good you have done; death will be but the entrance [illegible] those happy regions beyond the flight of time where as the cycles of eternity roll away the abiding graces *Faith, Hope* and *Charity* will possess never ceasing interest and unfading lustre. For when before the Judge of the world shall be gathered all nations and the books shall be opened, the King shall say unto those on His right hand, Come ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. [illegible] Verily I say unto you, inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto Me.

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is of er observed that there are persons when they find themselves unable to with the crushing logic of its attempt in [illegible] vehement denial. A Demo paper of Oregon [illegible] to [illegible] the monthly statements relative to the uction of the national debt. It [illegible] the rapid reduction of the debt is an asant fact for its party and turns all its arguments against it therefore the journal ed to resorts to the old method of denial stoutly declares that the debt is not [illegible] uced at all. The fact it says is open torious and undeniable that the debt total getting larger each month but by the most lful manipulation of figures by the [illegible] rsion of truth which is the essence of a lie is made to appear smaller. If the paper uch so roundly asserts this could only prove it would furnish a weapon for its party uch would enable it to annihilate all its versaries. The National Democratic Committee would purchase at a great price any oof to show that 'the debt total is getting rger each month.' This Oregon editor can both fame and fortune by furnishing proof what he professes to know.

What is the "skillful manipulation," alluded to? Nothing could be more simple or conusive than the monthly statements. They annot in any way be impeached, and nobody will seriously attempt it. Unsupported ssertion and stolid denial are both cheap ut no one who has any regard for his reputation will attempt to prove by the convincing argument of arithmetic that the debt is rowing larger. Nor will the Albany Democrat, with all its assurance, make a statement howing the basis of 'the open, notorious nd undeniable fact" which it asserts so toutly.

P[illegible] River Mines. Victoria and Portland

Victoria papers are filled with glowing reports of the richness of the Peace river mines, and these reports are corroborated by special correspondence from Victoria recently published in this paper. That place, certainly, is building great hopes upon these discoveries. The statement of our correspondent to the effect that the material prosperity and perhaps also the political destinies of British Columbia depend on the wealth or failure of these mines will be appreciated when the condition of that country during the past few years is considered. Business there for sometime has been at the lowest ebb, and the people have been greatly discouraged. They are therefore in a condition to welcome anything which promises a revival of their long slumbering activities, and we trust that in the Peace river discoveries they will find a new basis of prosperity. The suggestions of our correspondent relative to the obtainment by Portland of an increased trade with Victoria, [illegible] the hopes in regard to the mines are fulfilled, are worthy of [illegible] here. Portland should be prepared to avail herself of whatever advantages may offer in that direction.

Democratic Finance.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* protests that Gov Hoffman of New York and the *World* do not [illegible] true Democratic doctrines with respect to the National Finances, paying the debt in greenbacks, expanding the currency, [illegible] and in proof of its assertion, cites the [illegible] the recent Democratic State Convention of Indiana [illegible] hundred strong, assembled from every county in the State, which unanimously resolved:

"That we are willing to pay our National debt in strict compliance with our contracts, whether it was made payable in gold or greenbacks, but we are unwilling to do more than that, and we declare that the five-twenty bonds are payable in greenbacks or their equivalents and we condemn the policy of the Administration which is squandering millions of currency by buying such bonds at a high rate of premium when the Government had the clear right to redeem them at par."

"That the National Bank system, organized in the interest of the bondholders, ought to be abolished, and greenbacks issued in lieu of such bank paper, thus saving millions annually to the people, and giving to the whole people, instead of the few, the benefits of issuing a paper currency. [illegible] the business interests of the country demand an increased and maintained volume of currency, and the burden of the public debt, the high rate of interest and taxation imperatively forbid the contraction of the currency in the interest of the bondholders."

"That the bonds of the United States ought to be taxed by Congress for National purposes to such an extent as will substantially equalize the taxation of such bonds with other property subject to local taxation."

The New York *Tribune* thinks the *Enquirer* a far truer organ of the average Democratic sentiment of the country than either Gov Hoffman or the *World*, and considers Col Mungen still better than either. Were the Republican party disbanded this day, the National debt would never be paid. It would not be repudiated outright but tax after tax would be repealed or reduced until there would be nothing left in the Treasury, and the National creditors might whistle, first for their interest and then again for their principal. That is just how it would be managed.

Editorial Notes

It is proposed to remove the New Orleans branch mint to New York. A few days ago a resolution was introduced in the Senate and agreed to directing the Secretary of the Treasury to report to that body whether, in his opinion the public interest would not be subserved by the change.

A slight error occurred in the call for Republican primary meetings, as published in this paper yesterday. South Portland precinct is entitled to fourteen delegates in the County Convention, instead of thirteen. The basis of apportionment adopted by the County Committee is one delegate for every [illegible] votes thrown for Mr Logan in 1868 and one additional delegate for every fraction of ten votes or more.

A day or two since W Lair Hill Esq received letters from the National Capital tendering him a seat upon the Supreme Bench of Washington Territory. We are informed that he responded with a dispatch declining the proffered honor. He is unwilling to sever his business connections here and change his residence from Oregon. We are glad that he stays with us even though the people of Washington Territory are deprived of a good Judge by his declination.

San Francisco papers are filled with accounts of the great [illegible] Festival which took place in that city last week. As stated heretofore the Festival was a great musical entertainment given by Camilla Urso for the benefit of the Mercantile Library of San Francisco. Twelve hundred singers participated. The anvil chorus with artillery accompaniment was a great feature of the performance. It was a holiday week for San Francisco and the whole city gave itself up to the entertainment and excitement of the occasion.

CURRENT NOTES

The Lord Mayor of London at a recent meeting to promote emigration estimated the number of skilled workmen out of employment in England as between [illegible] and 5[illegible].

Among the bills present at a recent meeting of the Sandusky Ohio Council was one demanding $[illegible] for preaching funeral sermon for a darkey died with smallpox. Notwithstanding its reasonableness it was refused.

The [illegible] in Mexico [illegible] steadily increasing. It really seems as though the people of Mexico were unfit for self government [illegible] indeed for any other kind, for every system yet tried has proved a failure. [illegible] an example of [illegible] remedy tried.

The *E[illegible] P[illegible]* finds a serious objection to the presence of women in Wall street in the fact that it will be impossible to bring them under the existing classification. To call them bulls or bears would be the height of impoliteness and to call them cows or she bears would be little better.

It is a fact that thousands of tons of bones are carried every year from the old tombs of Egypt where they are shipped for Alexandria and thence to England to be ground up for compost for manuring lands. They are famous for fertilizing turnips and John Bull has the satisfaction of feeding on beef and mutton fattened on ancient Egyptians.

The latest curiosity in gunnery has just been tested at Fortress Monroe with success as reported. It is a cannon shot that holds another shot within it, and while flying through the air and near the end of its range discharges this second shot, and that gives great range. It is to be hoped the first shot may be always so continued as not to turn any somersaults, and so send the second shot the wrong way.

A poor child taught in one of the English church schools gives the following account of the Prophet Daniel: "Daniel was put into the lion's den and the lions eat him up and then his father told him to go and mind his sheep, and he went to mind them on the field and while he was tending the sheep a lion and a bear came out to kill the sheep and the sheep ran away, and he turned back and saw the lion and the bear and ran off a running and catch them both and then he came back to the sheep and prayed to God to forgive his sins."

Speaking of the legal tender act, and the recent opinion of the Supreme Court an Eastern journal remarks: It may be said of the present Chief Justice that he is directly responsible for the measure that he was nominated to the bench to give support to the principles which he had avowed; that no new lights could possibly have been presented to his mind to affect its legality, and that his change of position must be referred to the same set of circumstances which made him seek to be the candidate of the democracy against the great soldier who by means of the legal tender act wielded our forces with success.

The Omaha *Republican* says: Three fourths of the cuts on the Union Pacific road—from which all dangers of detention arise—have been either covered with snow sheds or protected by double lines of snow fences. There are now over one thousand carpenters and many laborers employed on the road in completing these snow protectors. In a few weeks all will be finished and the universal opinion is that there will then be no more delay on the Union Pacific line than occurs every winter on the Northern Atlantic roads. The snow sheds on the Central Pacific line were all completed some months ago, and [illegible] on that road is as unin[illegible] it is in summer.

Says the Cincinnati *Commercial*: "It is a pity that Mrs Polk, widow of ex President Polk, can not be [illegible]. All political or military bodies of the Tennessee [illegible] call on Mrs Polk. If there is a session of the Legislature or a convention in Nashville Mrs Polk has to look out for a call. She has to receive everybody and the wonderful part of the ceremony is that she always gets through her part of it pleasantly, and the newspapers report that she was gracious and graceful, amiable and otherwise admirable. The farce is that the solemn legislative bodies pretend to have entertained a vast amount of respect for the Hon James K Polk. The truth is, they rejoice in the belief that Mrs Polk is a most charming lady."

In June last, President Grant visited Boston to attend the great Jubilee. He came in the morning and left in the afternoon, to pass the night with Secretary Boutwell. The Governor honored his presence by a parade of the militia of the State, with the exception of two or three companies located at too great a distance to perform the duty in one day. The parade cost the State $29 581 92 and to this may be added some ten or twelve thousand dollars which the city of Boston expended in making appropriate arrangements for his reception, so that it cost near four thousand dollars per hour to entertain the President. But the shrewd Boston *Journal* estimates that, as the President "drew" a hundred thousand things to the city, he was worth all he cost. This is what might be called "making the most" of Hospitality.

FOREIGN NOTES

The Viceroy of Egypt smokes a $40,000 meerschaum.

Dore is said to have made 40 000 pictures since he was 14 years old.

Queen Victoria is 50 years of age the Empress Eugenie is 43.

It is stated that $228 000,000 are annually spent by the British nation in intoxicating drinks.

A gymnasium on a gigantic scale is about to be erected in Paris its estimated cost is three million francs. An immense swimming school for ladies and gentlemen is to be attached to it.

The total number of new books and new editions issued in Great Britain during 1869 was 4 569. Of this number theology claims more than 1 000 while 461 are novels.

At the illumination at Calcutta in honor of the Duke of Edinburg was a slightly ambiguous transparency. It was over an undertaker's door and the legend was "Welcome."

The law adopting the decimal system for weights and measures over the whole of the Ottoman Empire has been promulgated. The system is to come into force in March next.

Great indignation has been expressed in Paris at the conduct of some persons after the execution of Traupmann. The accusation is that two ladies dipped their handkerchiefs in Traupmann's blood and that some young gentlemen did the same with their canes. The officer on duty told them that they were barbarians and ordered them away.

OREGON

The graduating class of the Medical Department of Willamette University will be passed on Thursday. Hon J H Mitchell will deliver the annual address.

The *St[illegible]* of Thursday says: The articles of incorporation of the East Portland and Silverton Plank Road Company were filed in the office of the Secretary of State yesterday, the incorporators being Messrs Hampton Kelly, [illegible] Kelly and [illegible] Barger citizens of Multnomah county. It seems that these gentlemen propose to run a plank road from East Portland to the town of Silverton, an enterprise [illegible] of which we wish them much success and [illegible] speed.

The Salem *Daily [illegible]* has closed its earthly career and is now numbered among the multitude of extinct newspapers which have been done for by R B.

The Government of [illegible] has just published statistical information relative to the treaties of commerce and navigation signed [illegible] in 1865 between France and Sweden. Since that time the imports and exports between the two countries have almost doubled. The navigation of Sweden with France has increased since 1864 by 169 per cent and that of Norway by 69.

In tearing down a portion of an old religious edifice at W[illegible] near Oxfordshire England the workmen came upon an oratory hidden in the thickness of the walls. It contained a small library of the earliest Protestant theology of the time of the Reformation. Among the works are some of John Knox's writings and a complete copy of Coverdale's translation of the Bible.

By Overland Telegraph

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN

EASTERN DATES TO FEBRUARY 28

Washington News

Washington Feb 28.—The following are the names of the principal officers of the *Oneida* from the books of the Navy Department: [illegible] Edward W [illegible], Lieutenant Commanders W [illegible] F Stewart [illegible] W Muldaur, [illegible] Assistant Surgeon [illegible] Assistant Paymaster [illegible] Masters Walter [illegible] Engineers [illegible] Assistant Engineers [illegible]. The *Oneida* was a [illegible] rate vessel carrying eight guns.

The Fifth Military District [illegible] the State of [illegible] the Department of the Cumberland under Brevet Maj Gen Cook.

The [illegible] expenditures on account of [illegible] very heavy the past few days but [illegible] slight decrease.

Official [illegible] from all the States which have ratified the 15th amendment have [illegible] been received which accounts for the delay of the [illegible] proclamation.

What is known as the cotton cases involving a large amount of abandoned cotton taken by the Government during the war were decided by the Supreme Court which affirmed the judgment of the Court of Claims against the United States. In the course of the opinion it is stated that Congress recognized August 20 1866 as the time of the close of the rebellion and that day must be recognized for all purposes of litigation as the day when the rebellion ceased.

In executive session the Senate was occupied by a long discussion on the motion to reconsider the confirmation of Strong as Justice of the Supreme Court. No action was taken.

It is reported that extensive frauds have been committed by white men not citizens of the Cherokee country who have established tobacco factories in that nation near the borders of Kansas and Arkansas.

The Franking Privilege

The Postmaster General in reply to the Senate resolution says the number of blank petitions for the abolition of the franking privilege sent out was 75 000 the number of accompanying circulars was 28 000 the total cost was $499 66 defrayed by the office of the Congressional printer. The petitions and circulars were prepared under the direction of the Postmaster General in accordance with the views expressed by the President in his late message in response to what he believed to be a very general wish of the people for the abolition of the franking privilege. Returns from 454 post offices for January show the number of free letters to be 666 901. The postage thereon at regular rates $117 399 73. The weight of printed matter sent was 346 194 pounds. Total cost of free matter sent from 454 post offices 159 704 97. The estimates in dollars of the total amount of free matter is 200,000 monthly. The Postmaster General adds that the recent agitation in favor of repeal of the franking privilege has increased the sales of stamps and stamped envelopes in January $313 332 over the same month of last year. He renews his recommendations for repeal.

The President, Vice President, General Sherman and other distinguished gentlemen have united in a request to C F Hall the Arctic explorer to deliver a lecture here to develope plans for a third Arctic voyage.

New York News

New York Feb 28.—Justice Buckley of Brooklyn has been indicted for a refusal to examine complaints by Henry Bergh against a swill milk man.

The Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Company has sued the Franklin Company to enjoin it from violating a contract and for the appointment of a Receiver.

Great interest is felt in the Edwards Collier prize fight. The principals and a large number of sports have left for the scene.

The celebrated Fullerton case is postponed till next week.

Specials say London letters state that the capital for laying the cable from England or Wales to New York has been promised to a company fully [illegible]ised. Contracts will be [illegible] immediately for [illegible] the cable. The Great Eastern will be secured for laying it next year.

A further decline is predicted in gold. Even bets were made yesterday that it would touch 112 within two days.

Public Schools in St. Louis.

St Louis Feb 28.—A bill passed the lower house of the Legislature on Saturday almost unanimously requiring the School Board to appropriate to every private school now or hereafter established in St Louis, ten dollars to every scholar receiving free tuition in such school. It is said if the bill becomes a law it can be made to almost entirely break up the public school system. An effort will be made to defeat it in the Senate.

From Cuba.

Havana Feb 28.—Santa Anna was sent to Nassau yesterday on a Spanish man-of-war.

Havana Feb 27.—A detachment of a hundred negro troops was attacked by six hundred insurgents on the line of the railroad between Puerto Principe and Neuvitas a few days since. The insurgents were driven off.

A great many people of Puerto Principe are coming within the Spanish lines. Several of the most prominent insurgents of the Puerto Principe region have asked permission of the Government authorities to surrender, and the Captain General has consented, if the insurgents will come to Havana direct, instead of going to Puerto Principe. In addition to the party of Col Garcia eighty six more insurgents surrendered themselves in Cinco Villas District.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Victoria Feb 28.—Ten men belonging to the ship *Golden Empire* just from San Francisco, have mutinied and are in irons. They refused to work the ship and tried to escape to go to the Ominica or Peace river mines.

Victoria March 1.—The ship *Kitty Coburn* has arrived at Burrard Inlet. The *Ann* has passed up the straits on her way to the Inlet. The *Byzantium* from Honolulu arrived yesterday. Yesterday six of the crew of the *Golden Empire* were brought before a magistrate on the charge of mutiny. J White Captain said in court that the balance of the crew were overpowered. The mate and other officers took a boat and made off to the American side.

NOTICE.

The First Annual Election of Officers of the Puget Sound Homestead Association will be held at Harmony Hall First street over the Postoffice, in this city on the 2d day of March next at ½ o'clock P M. Full and prompt attendance is requested.

Shareholders who cannot be present at this meeting may vote if they so desire by proxy in accordance with Article 5th of the Constitution.

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A TEACHER.

WELL QUALIFIED BY LEARNING AND EXPERIENCE desires a situation as Principal of a Graded School [illegible] Address [illegible] GEORGE W CANNON [illegible] Portland Oreg.

Directors' Meeting.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE OREGON CENTRAL Railroad Company of Salem Oregon are hereby [illegible] at the office of the Company [illegible] Monday the [illegible] day of March A D 18[illegible] at [illegible] o'clock A M [illegible]

By order [illegible] I R MOORES President

[illegible] tdtd

NOTICE

TO ALL PERSONS DESIRING A

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R. CHEADLE SAN FRANCISCO WILL RECEIVE [illegible] all kinds of [illegible] that may be [illegible] sale [illegible] returns.

L. CHEADLE, ALBANY OREGON will attend [illegible] all orders that may be left with him at that place.

GOODS AT A BARGAIN,

[illegible] R Cheadle's San Francisco [illegible]

[illegible] Market and [illegible] St [illegible] tf

BOOTS AND SHOES for sale by H W CORBETT & CO
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NEW TO-DAY.

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[illegible] PROTZMAN

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THE SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES OF
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Also—A very large lot of Second Hand Shutters of various dimensions, all for sale at very low rates.

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I OFFER FOR SALE AN UNDIVIDED HALF OF what is known as

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The property consists of a large comfortable Shop, containing Three Wheels a good Kiln holding eighteen hundred gallons a large Ware House Clay Bins and Mill House, a Woodshed [illegible] feet square, sufficient to hold two hundred cords of wood a good Stable and Straw Sheds a first class Team and Wagon and all the accoutrements and implements necessary to carry on the business, too numerous to mention.

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mr2d1m&w3m Buena Vista Oregon

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Oregon. In the matter of John A Daly Bankrupt (in Bankruptcy). Notice is hereby given that a third general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the city of Portland in said district on the 22d day of March A D 1870 at 10 o'clock A M at the office of W Lair Hill Esq Register in Bankruptcy [illegible] the twenty eighth section of the Bankrupt act of March 2 1867. mr2dlaw2t JOHN CATLIN Assignee

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of John A Daly bankrupt (in Bankruptcy). To the creditors of said bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final account as assignee of the estate of John A Daly Bankrupt [illegible] and that on the 22d day of March 18[illegible] at [illegible] o'clock A M at the office of W Lair Hill Esq Register in Bankruptcy in the city of Portland I shall apply to the court for the settlement of my said account and for a discharge from all liability as assignee in accordance with the provisions of [illegible] the Bankrupt Act of March 2 1867. JOHN CATLIN
mr2law2t Assignee.

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DRESS BALL!

AT THE

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To be given for the benefit of the

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S S OSTHEIM S M LYON
JACOB MAYER S HARRIS

Floor Managers:

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THE [illegible]

MONTANA,

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WEDNESDAY MARCH 2 1870

AT [illegible] A M

For Victoria, B. C.,

PORT TOWNSEND SEATTLE
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STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA

[illegible]

TUESDAY MARCH 1ST 1870,

AT [illegible] P M

For Freight or passage apply at the Office of the Company [illegible] W WEIDLER Agent

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POWER OF ATTORNEY AND

DECLARATION

OF THE

CHINESE MERCHANTS

TO

J. F. McCOY.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT we the undersigned Chinese Merchants and Citizens of [illegible] the State of Oregon and of said State at large do by these presents [illegible] and appoint JUDGE J F McCOY of Portland Oregon [illegible] Agent and Attorney [illegible] true and lawful Agent and Attorney with full power and authority to do, perform and [illegible] in our names and stead and in behalf of our respective Companies [illegible] individual and firm names [illegible] full power in all matters of business and to do all that we might or could do personally ourselves [illegible] ratifying and [illegible] our [illegible] behalf and that of our respective Companies. [illegible] J F McCoy is duly authorized [illegible] to act for and in behalf of our countrymen and Chinese citizens [illegible] respective companies [illegible] business advice [illegible] and social relations having and [illegible] in him full faith and confidence as a trustworthy man of long residence in Portland, and good standing as a citizen with experience and a good business qualification and habits worthy of our trust and [illegible]. And knowing him to be a long and lasting friend [illegible] Chinese people and fellow countrymen [illegible] devoted to their [illegible] and for which he has our [illegible]. Always prompt, dili[illegible] in their [illegible] both socially [illegible] the past in our behalf [illegible] friends, and commend him in future to our friends, both American and Chinese [illegible] in names and [illegible] of ourselves and our and each of our Companies [illegible] in behalf of our [illegible]

We hereby promise and pledge unto said J F McCoy [illegible] all matters of business and [illegible] him unto all our said people as a true [illegible] and never failing friend on their part [illegible] adviser and leader and one who will never betray the [illegible]

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals in our own names and on behalf of our respective companies and firms this first day of February A D [illegible]

WA [illegible] and Oregon
By [illegible]
[illegible] KEE [illegible]
By [illegible]
DUCK [illegible] COMPANY
[illegible]
AH QUAN
[illegible] COMPANY
[illegible] and Oregon
TIN LEE
YEO [illegible]
[illegible]
AH TUK
[illegible]
LUNG HAM
WONG CHIN
LEE QUAN
AH WAN [illegible] San Francisco
[illegible]
SIM LEE
AH WAN

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To keep on hand and in stock at all [illegible] market rates, a full assortment of the [illegible] A W Faber of Stein Bavaria, including the [illegible]

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Past opinions have placed Consumption among the incurable complaints. I beg this feeling may at least be dispensed with until this most valuable preparation for Consumption or Consumptive tendency [illegible] accidents [illegible]

"Take [illegible] the Gods thee," chief [illegible] can be testified [illegible] is NEWELL'S PULMONARY [illegible]

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Clothing Boots and Shoes Hats and Caps
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Thanking the [illegible] for [illegible] favors he solicits a continuance of their patronage.

CITY.

[illegible] The morning dawned [illegible] the [illegible] In [illegible] a large number [illegible] the new hall [illegible] had reached [illegible] Band [illegible] music by the [illegible] the ladies and gentlemen [illegible] Mrs W H Wetzel on behalf of the Daughters of Rebekah presented to the order [illegible] an elegantly bound Bible [illegible] Mrs Wetzel said [illegible]

[illegible] that Ministering Angels in behalf of [illegible] present to you and through you to the different Lodges of the city a volume whose [illegible] has ever been a guide and [illegible] assured pages. Bound [illegible] ored ties of Friendship Love and Truth which symbols are characteristic of this Order I [illegible] myself here in the name and in behalf of the Daughters of Rebekah to leave in your charge this Book of books this hallowed [illegible] word of God. May it ever be a guide in your deliberative actions and may the links which bind us that of Friendship Love and Truth—[illegible]

Wm [illegible] Esq President of the Assoc[illegible] responded as follows:

Ladies Sisters of Rebekah—Allow me in the name and behalf of the several Lodges of Odd Fellows in this city to present to you our sincere thanks for this beautiful token of that friendship which is as lasting as time and agreeable as it is endearing. While we peruse these sacred pages may our hearts be inclined to deal charitably with all mankind. This sacred volume is the corner stone of our beloved Order the treasured volume from which is derived all pure resolves and noble aspirations of the heart. It is the crowning glory of this noble structure our future guide and landmark. Sisters we honor you for the kind regard which prompted the presentation of this beautiful hand book. While we take this for our guide we shall fail not falter not in our ministrations of love and mercy toward each other. The sentiments of sympathy and love which alone emanate from the purest motives of the human heart, and which prompted the presentation of this [illegible] gift are cordially reciprocated. We know from experience that in your hearts you regard our beloved Order with that esteem which is as lasting as time and we know equally well that in your heart of hearts you regard with reverence this Holy Book of Books.

The oration found on our first page was then delivered by Hon J N Dolph, the closing ode in German sung by the members of Minerva Lodge and the benediction pronounced by the Grand Chaplain.

The entire programme was carried out in excellent order and in every way [illegible] fully Odd Fellowship in Portland, was yesterday demonstrated to be one of the leading [illegible] ty and the members justly feel proud of their success as evinced by the [illegible] of the day.

RECEPTION AND BALL.—The reception at the new Hall and the ball at the armory of the Washington Guard given by the Odd Fellows last night, were largely attended. The Hall was crowded from 7 to 10 by members and friends of the order who all enjoyed the time in social converse and promenading to music furnished by the military band. The dancing at the armory began at half past nine and was pleasantly kept up till we went to press. The only obstacle in the way of a perfect enjoyment of the occasion was the crowded state of the dancing room, not more than two thirds of the dancers being able to get on the floor at one time. As the [illegible] part of the programme of yesterday's celebration the order of Odd Fellows can congratulate them[illegible] that the ball was truly and eminently a [illegible]

BRIEF ITEMS.—Thirty five persons [illegible] recommendations and obtained situations through the Labor Exchange in this city during the month of February.

The bark *Whistler* from San Francisco, is now due and may be in to-day.

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING MARCH 2 1870.

CITY.

THE DEDICATION CEREMONIES.—The morning dawned rather propitiously yesterday for the dedication of Odd Fellows Hall which was the principal feature of the day in our city. In the forenoon the boats from Oregon City and Vancouver arrived, both bringing a large number of members of the Order and other visitors. At half past twelve the Brethren repaired to their old Hall on Front street and having clothed themselves in regalia, proceeded on the line of march indicated, led by the 23d Infantry Band discoursing excellent music to the new hall. The number of Odd Fellows in the procession was 2 9 by actual count. Before they had reached the new hall it was almost filled with ladies and the membership were not all able to find seats. Many persons crowded about the door who could not get inside. Upon arriving at the Lodge room and after the audience came to order the usual dedication ceremonies were performed in a very impressive manner conducted by Grand Master J. M. Bacon, and interspersed with music by the Military Band, and a choir of ladies and gentlemen. At the close of the singing of the second dedication ode, Mrs W H Wetsell on behalf of the Daughters of Rebekah presented to the order in this city a beautiful and elegantly bound Bible. On making the presentation, Mrs Wetsell said:

Right Worthy Deputy Grand Master and President of the Odd Fellows Hall Association —Happy in the thought of doing good, and thereby promoting the kindly feeling which has always characterized the Daughters of Rebekah, as connected with the institution of Odd Fellowship and like Rebekah at the Well administering to the wants of the human race, setting forth in loud song—

> Sound the loud timbrel o'er Egypt's dark sea,
> Jehovah has triumphed and his people are free,

We come, not unlike that Ministering Angel in the hour of need, to present to you, and through you, to the different Lodges of the city, a volume whose sacredness has ever been a guide and a stimulant to good actions to all who have perused its treasured pages. Bound together by the sacred ties of Friendship, Love, and Truth which symbols are characteristic of this Order, I present myself here in the name, and in behalf of the Daughters of Rebekah, to leave in your charge, this Book of books, this hallowed volume of the word of God. May it ever be a guide in your deliberations, and may the links which bind in ties of Friendship, Love, and Truth—never be broken.

Wm. Dierdorf, Esq , President of the Association, responded as follows

Ladies, Sisters of Rebekah—Allow me, in the name and behalf of the several Lodges of Odd Fellows in this city, to present to you our sincere thanks for this beautiful token of that friendship which is as lasting as time, and agreeable as it is enduring. While we peruse these sacred pages, may our hearts be inclined to deal charitably with all mankind. This sacred volume is the corner stone of our beloved Order, the treasured volume from which is derived all pure resolves and noble aspirations of the heart. It is the crowning glory of this noble structure, our future guide and land mark. Sisters, we honor you for the kind regard which prompted the presentation of this beautiful book. While we take this for our guide we shall fail not, falter not, in our ministrations of love and charity toward each other. The sentiments of sympathy and love, which alone emanate from the purest motives of the human heart, and which prompted the presentation of this beautiful gift, are cordially reciprocated. We know full well that in your hearts you regard our beloved Order with that esteem which is as lasting as life, and we know equally well that in the depth of hearts you regard with reverence the Holy Book of Books.

The oration, found on our first page, was then delivered by Hon. J. N Dolph, the closing ode in [illegible] sung by the members of Minerva Lodge, and the benediction pronounced by the Grand Chaplain.

The entire programme was carried out in excellent order, and in every way successfully. Odd Fellowship in Portland, was yesterday demonstrated as one of the leading elements of society, and the members justly feel proud of their [illegible] afforded by the occasion of the day.

[illegible] AND BALL.—The reception at the new Hall and the hall at the armory of the Washington Guard, given by the Odd Fellows last night, were largely attended. The Hall was filled from 7 to 10 by members and friends of the Order who all enjoyed the time in social converse and in listening to music furnished by the military band. The dancing at the armory began at half past nine, and was pleasantly kept up till we went to press. The only obstacle in the way of full enjoyment of the occasion was the smallness of the dancing room, not more than two-thirds of the dancers being able to get on the floor at one time. As the closing part of the programme of yesterday's ceremonies the members of Odd Fellows can congratulate themselves that it all was truly and eminently a success.

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DRUNKEN INDIANS.—Two Indians were sent to jail for two days each by the Recorder yesterday for drunkenness. Some worthless white men doubtless, furnished the liquor to these Indians and people at large are put to the expense of keeping the drunken savages, that some violator of the law may make a few dimes out of poor Lo.

CALLED MEETING.—A second meeting of the Temperance Society has been called by Judge Page, the President and will be held at the Court House this evening. A general attendance on the part of all interested is solicited. Several able speakers, it is expected will address the meeting.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—The first annual meeting of the stockholders of the Puget Sound [illegible] Association will take place at Harmony Hall this evening at half past seven o'clock. An election of officers will take place. Stockholders being absent can vote by proxy.

ELECTION.—The Washington Guard will hold an election on next Friday for the purpose of choosing their officers for the ensuing year.

ATTENTION.—To any parties wishing to invest in good paying property we would recommend that [illegible] by Mr [illegible] the growth of the [illegible] enhancement of value [illegible] render it a permanent and paying institution.

DISSOLVED.—The firm of R D White & Co. of this city has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr White having disposed of his interest to Mr [illegible] who will continue the business at the same stand. Mr [illegible] may be relied [illegible] customers.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.—The United States Circuit Court, Hon. M. P. Deady Judge, convened at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The case of [illegible] was dismissed on motion of counsel for plaintiff. The Court adjourned until this morning.

Chase's Weak Logic

The San Francisco *Bulletin* in an article on the recent legal tender decision says: It must be confessed that the minority opinion delivered by Justice Miller is far the manlier in tone and more convincing in logic. It handles without gloves the weak logic of Chase where he attempts to find a prohibition of the Act not in the letter but in the spirit of the Constitution. After referring to the Bankrupt Act now in operation as an instance of legislation in declared violation of the obligation of contracts and as illustrating the real spirit with which the Constitution aims to energize the Government in an emergency Justice Miller adds:

So it is said that the provisions that private property shall not be taken for public use without just compensation, and that no person shall be deprived of life liberty or property, without due course of law are opposed to the acts under consideration. The argument is too fine for my perception, by which the indirect effect of a new public measure in depreciating the value of loans stocks bonds and other contracts, renders such law invalid as taking private property for public use or as depriving the owner of it without due course of law. A declaration of war with a maritime power would thus be unconstitutional because the value of every ship abroad is lessened 25 or 30 per cent and those at home almost as much. Abolition of the tariff on iron or sugar would in like manner destroy furnaces, and sink capital employed in the manufacture of these articles. Yet no statesman, however warm an advocate of high tariff has claimed that to abolish such duties would be unconstitutional as taking private property. If the principle be sound, every successive issue of Government bonds during the war was void, because because by increasing the public debt, it made those already in private hands less valuable. This whole argument on the injustice of the law—and injustice which if it existed, will be repeated by now holding it void—and of its opposition of the spirit of the Constitution, is too abstract and intangible for application to Courts of justice, and is above all, dangerous ground on which to declare the legislation of Congress void by a decision of the Court. It would authorize this Court to enforce theoretical views of the genius of our Government, or vague notions of the spirit of the Constitution, and of abstract justice, by declaring void laws which did not square with them. It substitutes our ideas of policy for judicial construction and a Court of Justice for the National Legislature.

It is no wonder, in view of the general drift of the decision, that some journals like the *World* should declare it logically a decision against the whole law, nor that others like the *Times* should view it with alarm as "stripping the nation of one of its means of warfare and defence." The *Times* significantly adds:

And it should be the policy of the Government to restore this essential power at the first opportunity. It was a great oversight to leave the country exposed to this danger in the neglect to appoint proper Judges, constituted as the Court evidently was. There should be no mistake about the complexion of those now nominated. Judge Chase, of all others, was relied upon to sustain on the Bench the measures resorted to in the war for the common safety, but although the one in question exceeded in no degree the constitutional limits, and was not only necessary for success, but accomplished all that was intended, it would appear that some new light had broken in upon him, leading in a different direction. It is not too late to correct this mis-step, if the Senate shall be willing to dismiss all thoughts of mere patronage, and, looking carefully to the exigency, shall consider only great public interests.

We repeat, therefore that no duty is more imperative upon the body which advises and consents to appointments, than to be certain that this necessary power in war shall be restored to the Government, and that the Court shall be constructed upon a plan which instead of being harmonious with Kentucky, shall discourage personal ambition and be in strict harmony with the loyalty of the Republic.

A compliment to Scotland, from the lips of Goethe, may be found in the new edition of his *Conversations with Miller*, which has been published at Stuttgart. In one of these conversations the great man ascribes the attraction of Sir Walter Scott's writings to the munificent national field with which they were conversant, and the inexhaustible material furnished to their author by the glorious history of his native land. In Germany, on the other hand, Goethe complained that no such scope for works of genius could be found. "There is nowhere," he said, "between the forest of Thuringia and the sand wastes of Mecklenburg a fruitful field for the novelist, so that I, in writing *Wilhelm Meister*, was obliged to choose the most miserable material that can possibly be imagined—wandering comedian and pitiful country nobleman—only to bring a little life into my picture."

Some of the printers recently discharged from the *Alta* office propose to start a new paper in San Francisco, to be called the *Sun*. An incorporation has been formed, with a nominal capital of $100 000 and the trustees are William Bell, William McCabe, James K. Philips, and E. A. Stearns.

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VALUABLE.—The recent bill before Congress granting aid for the construction of a railroad from the Columbia river to Puget Sound if passed will make the large tracts of coal and timber lands owned by the [illegible] Homestead Association on the [illegible] and Newaukum very valuable.

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[illegible] MATTERS are very [illegible] spring. The East Side Company will engage a large force of men to complete their road [illegible] West Side Company [illegible] the building of [illegible] are keeping up [illegible] the largest [illegible] this State [illegible] to make [illegible] ing the [illegible] large stock of the same [illegible] figures.

REMOVAL.—J. W. Campbell has removed his [illegible] Latent [illegible] Bell [illegible] Carpenter [illegible] cently introduced [illegible] coming into general use and is giving general satisfaction. [illegible] j 29 lm

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At the residence of J. F. [illegible] Esq. March 1, 1870, by Rev. C. H. Atkinson, Mr Geo. W. Hasoway of W. T. and Miss Mary E. Foster of Multnomah county.

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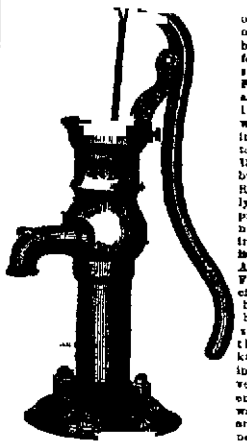

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Dated Astoria the 26th day of February [illegible]
H. B. PARKER
U. S. Assistant Assessor
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[illegible] J. H. MITCHELL,
J. N. DOLPH
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J. T. DREW
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47½ [illegible] Washington [illegible] ja5d3f

NASBY.

ASBY IN A DESPONDENT FRAME OF MIND—THE IBERS OF THE KENTUCKY LEGISLATURE RE SE TO STAND BY PRINCIPLE.

From the Toledo Blade.]

LOUISVILLE (wich is in the State
uv Kentucky), Feb 9, 1870.

on't know that reely there's any more yoose in on this earth. The Fifteenth amendment doptid, and a nigger Senator will take the seat e Senit wunst okkepied by that marter, Jeff Davis. It's about time for me to go hom.— no desire to remane. I wood like to stay enough to consoom the contents uv a red-ied barrel in the back-room uv my blessid ary in Noo York, into wich I haint, ez yet, no water, and probably I will I think I shel home, shut myself up in that back-room, k that pertikeler barrel dry, and fall dead ss it. Like Sardanapalus, my kingdom being o, my funeral pile shel be my throne.

came on to Kentucky to aid by my counsel Dimocrisy uv that State, in the present crisis e nigger Revel has a seat in the Senit uv the onited States, and uv course, no white Ken-ky Dimocrat kin so degrade hisself ez to set in t body beside him I expected, uv course, t Garret Davis and McCreery, wood immejitely ine, and ez no native-born Kentucky Dimo t wood take the place, and ez Kentucky could t afford to be represented by a Ablishnist, it urred to me that possibly there mite be a ance for me. I am a Northern Dimocrat by th, and Northern Dimocrats have allus done h work for the Southerners, ez the Southerners untid too dirty for em. The only thing wich od stand in the way wuz the fact that I left ntucky a year ago, and am now a citizen of o York. But wat uv that? I can swear I am itizen uv Kentucky—I hev bin in Noo York ilities enuff to be able to swear to anything.

At all events I went on to my old State, and ot together a caucus uv the Dimocratic members r the Legislachoor to consider this thing.

The chairman uv the caucus remarkt that the gns uv the times indikated trouble. Kentucky, that nigger wuz admitted to the Senit, wuz vir-ually disfranchised, for uv course Davis and McCreery cood not remain in their seats beside im. No Kentucky gentleman wood disgrace his roud State by practically takin to his buzzum a ale member uv an inferior race—uv acknollegin is equality, and workin quietly with him. Nev-r!—Sooner than see this he would be willin to ee the States further South inaugerate another truggle for their rites, in the event uv which Kentucky, troo to the yoonun, ez before, wood observe a strict and dignified nootrality by sellin horses and provender impartially to both armies. He hoped the gentlemen wood express their views freely.

A gentleman from the eastern part uv the State offered the following preamble and resolushen:

Wareas, The Senit of the Yoonited States is about to admit to a seat in that body, a nigger; and

Wareas, No Kentucky Dimocrat would degrade hisself by sittin beside a nigger; therefore,

Resolved, That Hon. Garrett Davis be instructed to resine to-wunst.

The resolooshuns passed to-wunst, without a dissentin voice, and were sent by telegraph to the Senators at Washington, after which I begged permission to offer a remark. I sed that uv course no Kentuckian cood be found to take them places made vacant by the two eminent men who wuz about to leave the Senit, but nevertheless Kentucky coodent afford to go unrepresented. Is there no Northern man uv Kentucky principles who will rush to the front at this crisis?

Twenty gentlemen sprang to their feet. The one who got the eye uv the chairman remarkt that Kentucky shood allus be represented by Kentuckians. Davis and McCreery clearly ought not to stay. They shood resine to wunst as a protest agin this outrage, but ef Kentuckians cood be found who wood accept these offices they should be found. Takin ez they wood ez a necessity, there woodent be the stigma attached to em that there wood be to the present incumbents ef they should remane, and possibly sich might be found.

The Chairman doubted whether there wuz a Kentuckian who hed so little respeck for himself. Ef a Kentuckian wuz selected it shood be from the membership of the Legislature. He felt that it wuz the dooty uv some two uv em to sacrifice themselves on the altar uv their State. It wood be a bitter degredashun for a man filled with memories uv the past, to choke down natural pride, and take a seat by a nigger, but some one must do it. He wood sejest that the members proceed with system in this matter. Let us designate, by ballot, our wishes. Let us vote for a man to fill the place to be made vacant by G. Davis, and let the member upon whom this dooty devolves, accept the sacrifice in the true Kentucky sperit. Gentlemen, prepare yoor ballots for a successor to Davis, and get ready to shed a friendly tear over the fate uv the man upon whom the degredashun falls.

This wuz agreed to, each member remarkin that no matter who wuz chosen, there wuz no law to compel him to be elected and set beside a nigger.

The members each voted; the votes were counted out, and, [illegible] EACH MEMBER HED PRECISELY ONE VOTE, and the loosnis uv the handwritin on the tikkits made it painfully certin that each member hed votid for hisself! Ez my hopes wuz bustid I coodent help singing out that a more self sacrificin body uv men I never saw!

Then commenst the most fearful squabble I ever witnest. Gentlemen got by the ears, and pistols wuz drawed, but just ez they were gittin reddy for a second ballot, a dispatch wuz received from Davis and McCreery, stating that while they appreshiatid the degredashun uv their situashen, and felt it keenly, nevertheless, ez Kentucky must be represented in the Senit, they rather thought they woodent resine at all! Ef they knowed their own hearts they thought they'd hold on to their seats. They might as well be sacrificed as anybody.

I haven't ez much faith in Dimocrisy as I yoost to hev. I sposed that when that nigger wuz finally admitted, that evry Democrat in the Senit wood resine; but wat do I find? Not one hes done it, and whole Legislachers uv Democrats are willin to take seats beside him!

Wat kin we expect when men are so recreant to their manhood? Is it any wonder that I am tired uv life? I shal go home to Noo York, to wunst.

PETROLEUM V. NASBY,
(wich wuz P. M.)

Stanton and Buchanan's Cabinet.

The following anecdote about the late Secretary Stanton was related by Judge Johnson of Cincinnati, in a eulogy of the deceased, delivered at a meeting of the Court in that city:

In his Cabinet crisis, Mr. Buchanan sent for Mr. Stanton, and asked him what he thought, of the signs of the times. The answer was prompt and characteristic: "You are sleeping on the crater of a volcano. The ground is moved all around and under you, and ready to explode; and without prompt and energetic action, you will be the last President of the United States." "Mr. Stanton," said the feeble old man, "for God's sake come and help me. The Attorney General's office is vacant, will you accept it?" "If you desire my help, I will" was the reply. The first day was passed in ferreting out the grand larceny of Thompson on the Indian fund; and when the Cabinet met in the evening, Mr. Stanton was late in coming. When he entered, Floyd was pacing the room, and gesticulating furiously in the tempest and whirlwind of speech against somebody who had cut down his flagstaff, broken off the trunions of his guns, and cut up and burned his wheels, and so on. Mr. Stanton sat down without uttering a word, or pretending to understand what was up. When Floyd made a pause, the question was propounded, "Mr. Attorney General, what do you think about it?" "About it?" "About what?" said Mr. Stanton. "About Major Anderson breaking up camp at Fort Moultrie, and going into Fort Sumpter?" "The most glorious event since the 8th of January, 1815. It has stirred the heart of every loyal man in the nation." "What," said Floyd, "an officer of the army violating his orders?" "What orders?" said Mr. Stanton. "Did you, Mr. President, give orders to Major Anderson to remain in that old, dilapidated fort, surrounded by enemies, when a stronger one was available?" "No," said Mr. Buchanan, "I gave no such orders." "Did you know of such orders being given?" "No, Sir I never heard of it before." "Then," said Stanton, "the man that gave such orders ought to be hanged on a gallows higher than Haman's." Here Thompson interposed to rebuke the insolence of so new a man in the Cabinet. "Mr. Thompson," said Stanton, "I have been here long enough to find out that you have stolen $8,000,000, of Indian bonds, and expect to stay here until I see you punished for it." And then the tempest rose and raged till midnight, when the meeting broke up, and next morning Cobb, Floyd and Thompson resigned, and thus in a single night this young Hercules in the cradle had choked to death three boa constrictors who had coiled around and were pressing to death his feeble old friend.

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UNION REPUBLICAN CONVENTION OF OREGON.

The Union Republican voters of the State of Oregon will meet at the City of Portland, at 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1870, in Delegate Convention, for the purpose of placing in nomination a State Ticket to be supported at the approaching election in June, and the transaction of such other business as shall properly come before said Convention.

Counties will be entitled to delegates as follows:

Baker	7	Lane	12
Benton	10	Linn	18
Clackamas	12	Marion	24
Clatsop	3	Multnomah	20
Coos	4	Polk	11
Curry	2	Tillamook	2
Columbia	2	Umatilla	5
Douglas	12	Union	5
Grant	7	Washington	9
Jackson	10	Wasco	6
Josephine	4	Yamhill	11

The Committee recommend that the County Conventions for the election of Delegates be held on Saturday, the 26th day of March, 1870.

By order of the State Central Committee.
M. P. BERRY, Chairman,

T. B. ODENEAL, Secretary.
Portland, January 10, 1870.

Union Republican Convention.

The Union Republican voters of Multnomah county are invited to meet at the usual places of voting in their respective precincts, on Monday, March 21st, 1870, at 1 o'clock P. M., and choose delegates to attend a County Convention to be held at the Court House in Portland on Saturday, March 26th, 1870, for the purpose of electing twenty delegates to attend the State Convention at Portland, Thursday, April 7th, 1870.

The several precincts will be entitled to delegates in the County Convention as follows: Central, 11; East Portland, 6; Fulton, 3; Multnomah, 1; North Portland, 5; Powell Valley, 1; Sandy, 2; Sauvie's Island, 1; South Portland, 14; St. Johns, 2; Wallamet, 2; Washington, 11. By order of the County Central Committee.

W LAIR HILL, Chairman.

Benton County Republican Convention.

The Union Republican voters of Benton county, Oregon, will meet at the Court House in Corvallis, on Saturday, March 19, 1870, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Delegate Convention, for the purpose of electing Ten Delegates to attend the State Convention to be held in the city of Portland on the 7th of April next, and also at the same or some subsequent meeting, to nominate a County Ticket. The Precincts will be entitled to delegates as follows: Soap Creek, 3; Corvallis, 13; Willamette, 2; Monroe, 9; Alsea, 3; Pioneer, 3; Yaquina, 4; Muddy, 2; Philomath, 3; Elk City, 5; Kings Valley, 5.

Precinct meetings will be held on Saturday, March 12, 1870, to elect delegates to said County Convention.

By order of the County Central Committee.
T. B. ODENEAL, Chairman,

Corvallis, Feb. 19, 1870.

Marion County Union Republican Convention.

By action had at a meeting of the Union Republican Central Committee of Marion county, held in Salem, Feb. 12th, 1870, the citizens of the county are invited to meet in their several precincts, on Saturday, March 19th, 1870, and select delegates to a county convention, to meet at the court house at Salem, March 26th, 1870, for the purpose of electing twenty-four delegates to attend the State Convention at Portland, Thursday, April 7th; and for the nomination of Representatives and county officers for the ensuing term, and the transaction of such other business as properly belongs to such convention.

According to the rule adopted by the Committee, the number of delegates to which each precinct will be entitled to is as follows: Salem 13; East Salem 9; North Salem 8; Aurora 8; Butteville 4; Champoeg 3; Fairfield 4; Belpassi 4; LaBish 4; Abiqua 4; Silverton 7; Sublimity 4; Howell Prairie 4; Jefferson 5; Lincoln 6. Total 83.

J. H. MOORES, Chairman.

Wasco County Union Republican Convention.

The Union Republican voters of Wasco county will meet at their respective places of voting in each precinct in said county on Monday, the 21st day of March, 1870, at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, to elect delegates to the County Convention to be held at the Court House in Dalles City, on Saturday, the 26th day of March, 1870, for the purpose of electing Six Delegates to represent said county in the Union Republican State Convention, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention. The several precincts are entitled to the following number of delegates: Falls, 1; Hood River, 1; West Dalles, 8; East Dalles, 9; Celilo, 2, John Days, 2; Fifteen Mile Creek, 5; Tygh, 1, Currant Creek, 1; Ochoco, 3. Total, 33.

By order of the Union Republican County Committee.
Feb. 19th, 1870. DANIEL BOLTON, Chairman.

Washington County Union Republican Convention.

The Union Republican voters of Washington County will meet at their respective places of voting in each precinct in said county on Saturday, the 19th day of March, A. D. 1870, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, to elect Delegates to the County Convention, to be held at Hillsboro on Saturday, the 26th day of March, 1870, for the purpose of electing 9 delegates to represent said county in the Union Republican State Convention.

The several precincts are entitled to the following number of Delegates:

Butte	8	Forest Grove	13
Beaver Dam	4	Hillsboro	12
Centerville	6	South Tualatin	4
Cedar Creek	6	Wappato	5
Dairy Creek	6		—
Total			64

By order of the Union Republican County Committee.
JOHN A. TAYLOR, Acting Chairman.
February 15, 1870.

Yamhill County Union Republican Convention.

The Union Republican voters of Yamhill County are hereby notified that there will be a Union Republican County Convention at Lafayette on Saturday, March 26th, 1870, at 12 o'clock M. of said day, for the purpose of electing eleven delegates to the State Convention to be held at Portland on April 7th, 1870.

It is recommended that the several precinct meetings be held at the usual places of voting on Saturday, the 19th day of March, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing delegates to said County Convention.

The several precincts will be entitled to delegates to said convention as follows:

Lafayette	4	McMinnville	7
Dayton	5	Sheridan	4
North Fork	4	Amity	3
Willamette	2	East Chehalem	1
West Chehalem	1		—
Total			50

J. W. WATTS, Chairman County Committee
February 18, 1870.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Stark's building, third story, opposite Cosmopolitan Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, in Stark's building, third story opposite Cosmopolitan Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No 18 North Front street.
By order of M E H P

G. A. R.—Portland Post No. 22.—Regular meetings on First and Third Saturday evenings of each month, in third story, No. 102 First street. All comrades in good standing invited to attend.
By order of POST COMMANDER.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

PORTLAND, March 1, 1870.

Portland Legal Tender rates 85 buying, 86½ selling

There have been but few transactions in mercantile matters. The public interest has been mainly taken up with the great gathering to witness the dedication of Odd Fellows' Hall. The *Moneta* arrived last night at 9 o'clock with a fine cargo of assorted merchandise which has been mostly discharged during the day. The bark *Edward James* has completed the discharge of her cargo. She is now awaiting return freight. Her destination has not been determined. The *California* sailed at 4 o'clock this afternoon for Victoria carrying about 200 tons of produce. The business done in the matter of receiving and shipping the cargoes of these vessels comprise the principal transactions of the day.

We have no telegraphic report from San Francisco.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY MAIL.]

Money continues easy though a good demand exists at 1@1¼ per cent for call loans at bank, and 1¼@2 per cent for same in open market.

The current rates of Exchange and Bullion in this market are as annexed Coin drafts on Atlantic cities, 1¼ per cent, currency drafts, 18½ per cent premium on gold; telegrams, 1½ per cent, exchange on London, 48½d for 60-day bankers' bills and 49@49¼d for commercial bills, gold bars, 900, silver bars, par at 2 per cent premium for average lots; Mexican dollars, 6 per cent premium

The supplies this week are exceedingly small, less than in some years at this season. The receipts of Oregon flour continue to exceed the weekly California supplies and the comparative position is now as follows:

	Flour, qr sks	Wheat, sks	Total sks, Wheat	Total 1869 sks
Stock July 1	19,100	16,203	46,771	68,000
Oregon receipts	328,247	42,863	289,643	183,875
California receipts	540,665	5,195,218	5,600,717	5,320,402
Total supply	888,012	5,245,284	5,936,131	6,019,677
Total exports	1,032,623	3,990,432	4,764,000	4,311,229
Balance			1,171,631	1,708,648

The Oregon flour receipts this week have exceeded those of California, and they find sale as they arrive The demand for flour for export has been more limited.

Wholesale and Jobbing Prices.

PORTLAND, Feb. 28, 1870

ALCOHOL—Eastern, $3 00; California, $2 50.

BACON—Sides, 13½@14c; hams 13@14c; Cross' sugar cured do, 25c: Smith, Brassfield & Co's 20c; Johnson's, 20; Shoulders, 7@8c.

BUTTER—Oregon solid, 15@18 ℔ ℔; brine, 18@20; fresh rolls, 18@20c; Isthmus, 35. Cal. ranch, 37½c.

BUILDING MATERIALS.—New Jersey Cement, ℔ bbl., $5 00; Knapp's, $4 50@$5 00; Santa Cruz Lime, ℔ bbl., $2 75; San Juan do., $2 75; Calcine Plaster, $5 00; Hand, $4.

BEANS—White Pea 3½@4; Red, 3½; Pink, 3½; Small White, 3½; Bayou, 4; Butter, 4c

BROOMS.—Oregon make, No. 1, $3 25 ℔ doz.; No. 2, $3 25 ℔ doz.; No. 3, $4 25 ℔ doz.; California make, No. 1, $5 50@$5; No. 2, $4 50@$5; No. 3, $3 50@4.

CANDLES—Grants, 19@19½; Emery's, 18c; Kelly's, 14c; Star, 19c; Ward's, 19c; Harkness', 21; Macy's, 19; Schmidt's 18c; Gross', 18½.

COFFEE—Rio, 20@20½; Costa Rica, 20½@21; Java, 25@28; Jones' Prepared Java, 40; Chartres, 30; Kona, 19c.

DRIED FRUIT—Oregon Apples, in bulk 4½, in kegs 5½ cts. California peaches new 11 cts.

FLOUR—Imperial, $5 00 ℔ bbl.; Standard, $5 00 ℔ bbl.; Vaughn's, $5 00; Magnolia, $5; Salem Mills, $5 00; Albany Steam Mills, $5 00; Commercial, $5; Dayton, extra $5 00; do superfine, $4 00@4 50; Oregon Mills, $5 00, Good Country brands, $4@4 50; Champoeg Mills, $5 00; Mission Mills, $5; Brooklyn Mills, $5 00; Star Mills, $5 00; McLeran's, $5 00.

GRAPES—California, $2@2 50 ℔ box.

HARDWARE—Iron Axles, 9½@10½; Carriage Springs, 22@23; Axe Handles, $4 00@4 75; Pick do., $4 00@$4 50; Sledge do., $3 00@4 00; Bar Lead, 12½c; Sand Paper, $6; Pat Cross-cut Saws, ℔ft 35@00 cts.; Mill do., ℔ ft. $1 60@2 50; Anvils, Armitage, 15; Sledges, cast steel, 60; bellows, 60@60c ℔ inch; Newhouse traps, $4 50@$24 00; Grindstones, 4½; Cable Chain, 9 to 14; Thimble Skeins, $8 00@12 00; Scale Beams, 87½ ℔ C.; Union Scales, Fairbanks', $14 00; Grocers' do. do., $12 50.

HORSE NAILS—Dobbin (hand made), 48@50; Putnam (pressed), 37½@40; Griffin (pressed), 35@40.

LAND PLASTER—$3 00.

LARD—Oregon 10 ℔ cans 12@14c; in bulk 11@11½c.

MISCELLANEOUS—Raisins, new fresh layers in boxes, $5 50; ½ boxes $5 75; ¼ boxes $6 00; Currants, ℔ lb. 17cts.; Yeast Powders, P & M. $25 ℔ gross, Donnelly's, do. $25; Saleratus, Batton's 9½c ℔ lb.; Babbitts, 11c; Oysters, Fields' $3 50; McMurray's, $3 75; Myers', $3 75; Mackerel, kits $17 00@17; Kits No. 1, $4 75. California cheese [illegible]

IRON.—Round Bar ⅜ to [illegible]; Small Bar, 6½@10; Norway Shoe Shape, 6c; [illegible]; Nail Rod, 11.

NAILS—Best brands $5 25 ℔ keg; Finishing and brads, $6 50; Lath 3d fine $10 50; Boat Spikes, $6 50.

OILS—Kerosene Oil—Downer's, [illegible]; Devoe's, 55; Pratt's, 52½; other brands [illegible]; Strained, $2; China Nut Oil, $1 35; Polar Oil, 80c; Paraffine Oil, $1 35; Hayward & Coleman's $1 25; Tanner's Oil, 80c; Neatsfoot Oil, $2 10; Sperm Oil, $2 50; Castor Oil, $2 75; Linseed Oil, boiled, $1 50; raw, $1 40.

POWDER—Dupont's, $6 for ℔ cans; $6 for ¼ ℔ cans; Rifle, in 25 ℔ kegs, $8 00; Sporting, in ℔ cans, $3 50 each; Eagle Duck, 1, 2 and 3, per [illegible]; Hazard's Kentucky rifle, 55c for 1 ℔ cans; [illegible] for ½ ℔ cans; California, 55c for ℔ cans; 65c ½ [illegible] do per ¼ keg, $8 50; Blasting, ℔ keg of 25 lbs. [illegible]; Double tape fuse per M ft, $16 50; single tape [illegible] per M ft, $13 25.

ROPE—Per lb. 19c.

SALT—Liverpool fine, $45@47 50; do coarse, $42 50; Carmen Island $32 50; Ground Rock, [illegible]; Dairy, $37 50; San Quentin, $30.

SALMON—Half bbl, $6 00; [illegible].

SUGARS—Sand. Island, [illegible]; San Francisco Yellow C., 12½@12½; Golden [illegible]; [illegible], 12½@12½; Powdered, 16½; Crushed, in bbls, 15½ in half bbls., 15½.

SOAP—Oregon brands, 7@7½ cts; Colgate, 11½; Castile, 18c; Cal, brands, 7½@8½c.

SYRUPS—Heavy Golden in bbls, 70@80c ℔ gall; 5 gall kegs, 80@90 ℔ gallon; San Francisco and Pacific in kegs 82½c, in hlf bbls 80, in bbls 77½. Bay Refinery, 90c ℔ gal. California Refinery, extra, 87½ ℔ gallon; Hawaiian, 5 gal kegs, 45c.

Weekly Retail Family Market.

PORTLAND, Feb. 28, 1870.

DOMESTIC & FOREIGN FRUITS.	
Oranges ℔ doz	75@1 00
Lemons per doz	1 00
Green—	
Apples	75c@1 10
Pears, per box	1 50@2 00
Dried—	
Pears, ℔ lb	8@10
Apples, ℔ lb	7@10
Peaches ℔ lb	12½
Plums, pitless	20@25
" with pits	12½
Figs, Cal., ℔ lb	20@25
" Smyrna	35@50
Prunes, in bulk	18
" in jars	35
GROCERIES.	
Coffee—	
Green C R ℔ lb	22
" Java "	28@30
Jones' prepared, Retail:	
Java	40
Chartres	35
Rio	30
Sugar—Crushed "	18
Pulverized "	18
Golden C	14
Granulated "	15
Tel OSF Ref.	15½
Islands	12½@13½
Syrups in kegs ℔ gal	90@95
" per gal	1 00
Tea—Y'ng Hyson	$1 50
Imperial	$1 50
Old "	$100@1 25
Gun Powder	$1 75
Japan	90@1 25
Black	62@1 25
PROVISIONS.	
Hams, country cut,	16
" Butcher's "	18@20
" Butcher's and Packers (Eng' Cured.)	20@22
Smith, Brasf'd & Co	25c
Cross'	28

Bacon, breakfast & rib	14@16
Clear side	18@14
Shoulders, country cut	9
" Butcher's and packer's	10
" Butcher's and packer's sug'r cured	12½
Cheese—Cal. ℔ lb	25@30
Cheese, Oregon	30
Eggs fresh ℔ doz	25
Honey ℔ lb	16@20
Lard, choice, ℔ lb	15
10 lb leaf in tins	$1 50@1 75
Butter—	
Choice fresh roll	87½
Good " "	25
Ordinary	20@25
Common, ℔ lb	20
Cal. ranch	40@45
Flour—℔ ½ sack	
Imperial	1 35
Standard	1 35
Vaughn's	1 35
McLeran's	1 35
Salem, XXX	1 35
City Mills	1 25
Other brands	1@1 12½
POULTRY, GAME, &c.	
Turkeys each	$1 25@2 50
Chickens, doz.	4 50@5 50
" spring	$3 50@4 00
Puget Sound Cod	16@18
Salt Salmon ℔ lb	8@10
VEGETABLES.	
Beets ℔ lb	2½
Carrots ℔ lb	2
Onions ℔ lb	3@4
Turnips ℔ lb	2
Potatoes ℔ bushel	50@75
Cabbage, ℔ doz.	50@1 00
Sweet potatoes, ℔ lb	5
Parsnips ℔ lb	3
Celery, ℔ doz	1 00@1 50

Domestic Produce Market.

PORTLAND, Feb. 28, 1870

Apples, green, ℔ box	25@50
Apples, dried ℔ lb	4@5
Wheat, new white, ℔ bushel	70@73
" Red, ℔ bushel	60@65
Oats ℔ bushel	40
Corn meal W. W ℔ 100 lbs	4 25
Country, ℔ 100 lbs	3 75
Ground Feed ℔ ton	22 50@25 00
Peaches dried, ℔ lb	8½
Bacon ℔ lb	11
Hams	13@14
Shoulders	6@7
Lard, in tins	12
Lard, in kegs	11
Eggs ℔ doz	23
Butter	18@20
Chickens, young, ℔ doz	3 50@4 00
" grown, ℔ doz	4 00@4 50
Beans ℔ 100 lbs	2 25@4 25
Wool, ℔ lb	18@20
Hay, baled ℔ ton	14@15
Hay, from wagons	12 50
Hides, salted, ℔ lb	8
" dry	9@11
Furs—Fisher	1 50@3 00
Fox, cross	1 00@2 00
" red	75@1 00
Marten, prime, dark	3 50@4 00
" pale	1 00@4 00
Mink, dark, northern	50@1 00
" pale	50@1 00
Muskrat	10
Otter, prime dark	1 75@3 00
Coon	12½
Wolf, large	75@1 00
Wild Cat	25
Skunk	12½
Fur Seal	1 50@2 50

Cotton Goods and Woolen Market.

PORTLAND, Feb. 28, 1870

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS.—*Blankets*, Oregon gray, No 1, $9 00; No. 2 $8 00, do No 3, do $4 00; do white, No 1 extra $12, No. 1, $8 50, do No 2, $7, No. 2, blue, $7 75, No. 2, green $7 75; Vicuna, No. 1, $11, No. 2, $8, 8-4 White flannel $1 00@$1 25, 4-4 White do 75c, 3-4 White do 4 00@45c. Plain assorted colors, flannel, 40@45c, Fancy Twilled shirting do, 50@55c; Grey Mixed Shirting 40@45c, Hard times, 90c Grey Doeskin, $1 00, Fancy do $1 10, Drab Mixed Beaver, 27½c, Fancy Cassimeres $1 00@$1 10, Tweeds, 75@85c, Yarns, $1@1 25

COTTON GOODS — *Sheetings*—Standard, 12½@14½ seconds, 11½c; light, 10@12½c; standard drills, 16. *Shirtings*—Bleached undressed 14@22c; bleached ⅞, 11@13c. *Denims*—15@21c, Hickory stripes, 16@25c. *Prints*—Fancy, 11c; Merrimac, 11c, Delaines, 15. *Ticking*—4 or 25@27c, 30-inch, 18@35c Linsey, 24@35c. 10¼ bleach, 50 Oakland heavy sheeting 25c ℔ yard 30-inch sheeting, 12½@13½c ℔ yard

Cattle and Live Stock Market.

PORTLAND, Feb. 28, 1870

CATTLE—Beef cattle, $6 00@7 00 ℔ cwt net

SHEEP—Good mutton sheep, $2 00@3 00 ℔ head.

PORK—6½@7 ℔ lb.

VEALCALVES—Spring, 7@8c ℔ lb

Arrivals and Departures of Mails to and from Portland.

SOUTHERN MAILS

Portland to Lincoln, Cal—Leaves Portland daily at 6½ A. M.

Arrives at Portland, daily by 6 P. M.

EASTERN MAILS

Portland to Dalles with Eastern Mails Leaves Portland at 5 A. M., daily, Sundays excepted

Arrives at Portland by 6 P. M., daily, Sundays excepted.

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Portland to Astoria Leaves Portland at 6 A. M. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; due at Astoria by 5 A. M. following days

Leaves Astoria on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 A. M., to arrive at Portland by 5 A. M. following days

PUGET SOUND

Portland to Monticello with Mails for Olympia and Victoria Leaves Portland 6 A. M. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays

Arrives at Portland by 6 P. M. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays

COUNTRY ROUTES.

Portland to Lafayette Leaves Portland 6 A. M. Mondays and Thursdays.

Arrives at Portland by 6 P. M. Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Portland to Dayton Leaves Portland 8 A. M. Tuesdays and Saturdays.

Arrives at Portland by 6 P. M. Fridays and Mondays

Portland to Aumsville Arrives at Portland Saturdays at 12 M., and leaves same day at 1 P. M.

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Reference is had in this notice not to schedule time of arrivals but to usual time that mails are received

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Other mails close at 9 P. M.

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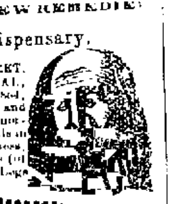

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Portland, Feb. [illegible]

THOMAS G. YOUNG,
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SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for [illegible] County, to me directed, in favor of [illegible], plaintiff, and against John M. Shively, defendant, commanding me out of the property of said defendant to make the sum of [illegible] with interest at the rate of ten per annum from the [illegible] day of December, [illegible] and the sum of [illegible] dollars costs and accruing costs, for want of personal property of said [illegible] I have levied upon the following described real estate situated in the town of Astoria in said State [illegible] and known and designated upon John M. Shively's recorded map or plat of said town of Astoria as lots four and five in block nineteen, and I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, on the 26th day of February, 1870, all the right, title, interest, claim and demand of said John M. Shively in and to said lots or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said execution. Sale to take place at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day at the door of the Court House door in said county

Astoria, Jan 24, 1870. W. M. CHANCE, Sheriff.
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon, for the county of Multnomah, ss.—[illegible] Van Rensselaer, Guardian of Rose E. W[illegible], plaintiff vs D. B. Fowler, defendant

To D. B. Fowler, defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served in this county; or if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or if served by publication, by the first day of the term of said Court which shall be held after six weeks' publication of this summons; and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the costs and disbursements of this suit, and apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, and for a decree of this Court, to perfect the title by suitable conveyance to lots one and two (1 and 2) in Block nine (9) in Portland, Oregon, and for such other and further relief as may be equity

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THOMAS G. YOUNG,
U. S. Marshal for District of Oregon.
By JOHN DOLAN, Deputy. feb1d4t

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Oregon. In Bankruptcy. This is to give notice that on the 18th day of January, 1870, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of James Kesling, of Brownsville, in the county of Linn, State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a court of bankruptcy to be holden at No. 106 First street, Portland, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the [illegible] day of March, A. D. 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day.

THOMAS G. YOUNG,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By JOHN DOLAN, Deputy.

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JACOB STITZEL, [illegible]
of minor heirs of the Estate of Wm. Whinger, [illegible]
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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—There will be a [illegible] ing of the creditors of W. L. Chitt[illegible] at the office of Hon. W. Lair Hill, Register [illegible] ruptcy, at the city of Portland, at 10 o'clock [illegible] the 21st day of February, A. D. 1870. You [illegible] notice that I have filed my final account [illegible] the estate of the said bankrupt in said court [illegible] time and place will apply for a settlement of [illegible] counts and for a discharge from all liabilities [illegible] of said estate in accordance with the provisions of the 28th Section of the Bankrupt Act.

feb23t D. W. WILLIAMS, [illegible]

CREDITORS' MEETING.—In the matter of [illegible] Jamison, Bankrupt—In Bankruptcy. [illegible] be a second general meeting of the creditors of [illegible] named bankrupt held at the office of W. Lair Hill, Register in Bankruptcy, Portland, Oregon, [illegible] day of March, A. D. 1870, at the hour of 10 o'clock [illegible] for the purposes specified in the 27th section of [illegible] rupt Act of March 2, 1867. [illegible]

Assignee of the estate of J. C. Jamison.
By order of W. Lair Hill, Register in Bankruptcy.
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NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE OF HIS APPOINTMENT (In Bankruptcy.) District of Oregon, ss. [illegible] city of Portland, on the 25th day of Jan. A. D. [illegible] undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Price Fuller of the county of [illegible] of Oregon, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition by the District Court of said district.

ANDREW HILL, [illegible]
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NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE of his appointment [illegible] ruptcy. District of Oregon, SS.—At [illegible] Portland, the 22d day of January, A. D. 1870, [illegible] undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of James Lyons, of Portland, in the [illegible] Multnomah, State of Oregon, within said District, [illegible] been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors' [illegible] District Court of said district

ja27d1aw3t JOSEPH BACHMAN, [illegible]

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.—The [illegible] been appointed by the County Court of [illegible] county, State of Oregon, Administratrix of the [illegible] Frederick Weiser, deceased. All persons having [illegible] against said estate are required to present them [illegible] proper vouchers to the undersigned at her [illegible] First street, Portland, Oregon, within six [illegible] this date. Persons owing said estate will [illegible] payment.

Portland, Jan. 24, 1870. MARIA [illegible]

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE OF HIS APPOINTMENT. In Bankruptcy. District of Oregon, [illegible] city of Portland, the [illegible] day of January, A. D. [illegible] The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Ella Walker, of Union, in the county of Union and State of Oregon, within said District, [illegible] has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district.

ja18d1aw3t JOHN CATLIN, [illegible]

NOTICE of Assignee of his appointment [illegible] ruptcy. District of Oregon, ss.—At [illegible] Portland, the 29th day of December, A. D. 1869, [illegible] undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of J. C. Jamison, of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, and State of Oregon, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition by the District Court of said district.

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